CLAIMS

- A signal transducer specifically expressed in mouse mast cells, which is a purified protein having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID No.
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 - 2. A signal transducer specifically expressed in human mast cells, which is a purified protein having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID No. 4.

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- 3. A polynucleotide consisting of the base sequence of SEQ ID No. 1, which encodes the protein of claim 1.
- 4. A polynucleotide having the base sequence of SEQ ID No. 3, which encodes the protein of claim 2.
 - 5. An expression vector involving the polynucleotide of claim 3.
 - 6. An expression vector involving the polynucleotide of claim 4.

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- 7. A cell transformed with the expression vector of claim 5, which produces a protein having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID No. 2.
- 8. A cell transformed with the expression vector of claim 6, which 25 produces a protein having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID No. 4.
 - 9. An antibody against the protein of claim 1.
 - 10. An antibody against the protein of claim 2.

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